UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

EASTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE

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NOTICE

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2071, the Clerk of the Court hereby gives notice of and an opportunity for comment regarding the Court's pending amendments to Local Rules 83.5 and 83.7 of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Tennessee. Rule 83.5 governs bar admission and Rule 83.7 governs attorney discipline. The proposed changes to the rules can be viewed on the Court's web site. There is a "Proposed Amendments to Local Rules" document with additions highlighted and deletions struck through. There is also a "Local Rules with Amendments" document in which the amendments are incorporated. The proposed amendments will be effective November 1, 2010.

Comments should be directed, in writing, to Patricia L. McNutt, Clerk of Court, at the above address.